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**VIA ELECTRONIC FILING**

The Honorable Jocelyn G. Boyd  
Chief Clerk/ Executive Director  
Public Service Commission of South Carolina  
101 Executive Center Drive, Suite 100  
Columbia, SC 29210

**Re: Alex Kadoshnikov v. Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC**  
**Docket Number: 2020-218-E**

Dear Ms. Boyd:

Enclosed for filing in the above-referenced docket, please find Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC's ("DEC") Motion to Strike. The Company requests that the Commission strike Mr. Kadoshnikov's testimony filed on October 8, 2020 as inadmissible on the basis that it contains hearsay, improper lay opinion, numerous statements that are more prejudicial than probative, and it addresses matters not at issue in the filed complaint. DEC also requests that the Commission hold the testimony deadlines for all parties and the hearing date in abeyance pending resolution of this motion.

By copy of this letter we are serving the same on the parties of record.

Sincerely,

Katie M. Brown

Enclosure

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